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Re: Deposit Account No. 121087
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This following is either a "Refund Request" or "Request for Explanation."

Today I reviewed our Deposit Account Statement (Account No. 121087) and saw that a \$9.00 fee was charged to our account for Attorney Docket No. 249.301. Recently we filed a Petition for 3 Month Extension of Time (small entity fee \$510) and an Amendment Transmittal Sheet listing 1 extra independent claim (small entity fee \$100), totaling \$610. A check was submitted with the documents for \$610.

On the Deposit Account Statement, the Fee Code 2202 (claims in excess of 20) is being listed incorrectly since the application currently has 72 claims and we have already previously paid for 77 claims. Please either refund our Deposit Account or let us know why our Deposit Account is being charged \$9.00 under Fee Code 2202 for Attorney Docket No. 249.301.

Thank you for your prompt response to this matter.

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